CIRCUMSTANCES IN WHICH THE APPOINTMENT OF THE CLASS III IN THE STATE SERVICE WAS TAKEN AWAY FROM THE PURVIEW OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

*Q.—1052. Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA (Nanjangud).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the circumstances in which the appointment of clause III in the State service was taken away from the purview of the Public Service Commission ;

(*b*) whether the Public Service Commission was consulted about this matter ;

(*c*) if so, whether they agreed to this ;

(*d*) whether they are aware of the serious consequences of this decision of Government?

*A.—Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) In the public interest to reduce the strain on the Commission without increasing its personnel, and to speed up recruitment.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes, in part. For II Division Clerks and equivalent posts only.

(*d*) No, as there are none.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—Did the Public Service Commission complain Government in writing that they are very hard worked and that they do not have the time to do all the recruitment required of them under the Constitution?

†Sri B. D. JATTI.—No, Sir.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—Then how is it that the Government says that in public interest to reduce the strain on the Commission this was done. Which section of the public complained to Government and in what manner?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—No section of the public or the Public Service Commission complained about this. Government came to this conclusion as a result of the P.S.C's work.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—Did the Hon'ble Chief Minister inform this House at any stage that the work being done by the P.S.C. is very slow and unsatisfactory and what is the machinery that the Government have substituted for this purpose?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—I think it is unnecessary to inform.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—I want to know whether Hon'ble Chief Minister can claim privilege in this behalf. I want the protection of the Chair. The report so far placed on the table of the House do not give any such indication. Which are the agencies representing the public that complained to Government and whether the reports of the P.S.C have indicated that their work is very slow in the matter of recruitment. On what basis did the Government come to that conclusion? The Chief Minister says it is unnecessary to inform the House and I want to know whether he can claim privilege in this behalf?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The vacancies we notified were not filled up in time. Government thought it best to withdraw recruitment of class III posts from the purview of the P.S.C. The P.S.C. itself agreed for the withdrawal of Grade II Clerks.

Sri S. D. KOTHAWALE.—Is it not a fact that many Hon'ble Members of this House recommended to the Government to restrict the functions of the P.S.C. to Class I and Class II posts?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—That question was agitated a number of times. I have noted a number of complaints from Hon'ble Members of this House.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—My question remains unanswered. Which is the agency that Government have substituted which in their opinion is going to do the recruitment to your satisfaction?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Government has decided to form Divisional Committees which reeruit to class III posts.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—Is it not a fact that very recently Government have received a letter from the P.S.C. that there work has been reduced and that they have very little to do.

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The Hon'ble Member seems to know many things. I do not know about it.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—In answer to (*d*) Government says that there are no serious consequences. Is the Government not aware that this Government Order will lead to favouritism and that only the adherents of the ruling party will get jobs under the Mysore Government and there would be no fair distribution, as has happened in the past.

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The Committee does not consist of any politicians.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—I want to know what is the constitution of the Committee; whether the committee functions at the pleasure of the Government and whether there is any rationale behind the constitution of the Committee?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Government have not yet issued a G. O. but Government have decided to appoint Committees consisting of the Divisional Commissioner, the Director of Public Instruction and the Director of Social Services.

Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SHETTY.—Is it not a fact that due to publication of Nagan Gowda's Report, a lot of work was accumulated by the Public Service Commission and there by looking at that work, the Government concluded that there is more work ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—No, Sir.

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Sri B. D. JATTI.—To-day's question concerns class III and not others.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—The Hon'ble Chief Minister stated that the Public Service Commission had agreed to part of the proposal of the Government. May I know what is the part of the proposal which is not agreed to by the Public Service Commission ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—As far as Second Division Clerks are concerned, the Public Service Commission agreed and regarding the First Division Clerks, they did not agree.

Sri A. R. KARISIDDAPPA.—With reference to answer (*a*) may I know whether it is under the contemplation of Government to take away the appointments of Sub Inspectors of Police in order to reduce strain on the Public Service Commission ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—If they come under Class III, that also will be excluded.

Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO.—In answer to a previous supplementary, the Hon'ble Chief Minister was pleased to say that selections were delayed and recommendations were sent late by the Public Service Commission. May I know in how many cases and since what time these things have happened and whether the Government have asked the Public Service Commission for reasons for the delay in making recommendations and selections ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—It is not necessary for the Government to ask for the explanation. The Government is the better judge.

Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO.—I did not say 'any explanation'. I want to know whether the Government have asked for any reasons.

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Not necessary. The Government knows when they did not work in time. The Government is the authority to decide.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—Is the Government aware that Third Division Clerks temporarily appointed have been regularised after a period of 3 to 6 months even without getting the vacancies advertised ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—That is outside the scope of the main question.

Sri V. SRINIVASA SHETTY.—The Hon'ble Chief Minister was pleased to say that owing dissatisfaction due to delay in recruitment of class III servants, that power to recruit Class 3 servants has been taken away from the Commission. If there is delay in recruitment of Class I and II Government servants, by the Public Service Commission, do the Government propose to take that power also from the Public Service Commission ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—That is a hypothetical question. Since they have got less work, I hope, they will do it more efficiently now.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Would it not offend provisions of the Constitution relating to the creation of Public Service Commission in this regard if you take away the power to recruit III Divis on Government servants from the purview of Public Service Commission ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The Government have power to take away from the purview of Publice Service Commission class III servants.

Sri A. R. KARISIDDAPPA.—The Minister for Home Affairs has given a statement that the appointment of Sub-Inspectors of Police will be taken away from the Public Service Commission and the Government is going to appoint them. Is it a fact ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Sir, I have already replied that if the Police Sub Inspectors come under Class III, that power will be withdrawn from them.

Sri A. R. KARISIDDAPPA.—Are you treating Sub-Inspectors of Police under Class III or not and if so, whether the statement made by the Home Minister is a fact ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—They will come under Class III.

Sri M. RAMAPPA.—Is the Government aware that public will not be feeling sorry if powers of present Public Service Commission are curtailed ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—Order, order.

CONSTITUTION OF A COMMITTEE TO RECOMMEND MEASURES TO ERADICATE THE EVIL OF COMMUNALISM PREVAILING IN PUBLIC LIFE AND STATE ADMINISTRATION.

*Q.—1004. Sri A. J. DODDAMETI (Ron).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

Whether they propose to constitute a Committee of Sociologists, Economists, Biologists and other interested in the subject of communalism prevailing in public life including the State Administration to examine the origin, development of communities and recommend measures to eradicate the evil of communalism prevailing in public life and State Administration ?